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Charge Against Ex-Commissioner.

Sensational testimony was given Wednesday afternoon by W. F. Bechtel in the District Court at Minneapolis, where he is on trial on a charge of having misappropriated $3,500 of the Northwestern National Life Insurance Company's fund. Bechtel went on the stand in his own defense and told of paying $5,000 in marked bills to former State Insurance Commissioner O'Shaughnessy in a room in the Ryan Hotel, in St. Paul. Mr. Bechtel said O'Shaughnessy had demanded the money, saying: "I'm not in the business for my health," and, "Remember, there are two of us."

Bechtel told of drawing his personal check for $2,500 and of getting another check for $2,500 from Wallace Campbell, formerly of the Northwestern Life Association.

"We marked the bills," continued the witness. "Then I and Wallace Campbell and Judge W. A. Kerr went over to St. Paul. The three of us saw O'Shaughnessy at the Ryan and Judge Kerr sat within ten feet of me when I met O'Shaughnessy and went upstairs to a room with him. When I got into the room I handed O'Shaughnessy the roll of bills. He counted them over several times. While he was counting the money Campbell knocked at the door, then entered. O'Shaughnessy thrust the money under his coat. I said: 'We're not through, Mr. Campbell,' and Campbell went out. O'Shaughnessy finished counting the bills and put them in his pocket, saying: 'Let's have a highball.' I told him I was not drinking, and we separated."

Mysterious Death.

Two longshoremen hauled from the water at the foot of Dover street, New York, almost under the Brooklyn bridge yesterday, the body of a young woman, almost nude, disemboweled and horribly gashed on the limbs.

The police theory is that the woman committed suicide by jumping into the East river, perhaps from so great a height that her dress was torn off, and that the propeller or paddle-wheel of some river craft subsequently mutilated the body as it rose to the surface. At the same time they are giving consideration to a suggestion that the woman might have been the victim of a Jack-the-Ripper type.

Although discolored with blue, bruised-looking spots, the body was not swollen, nor had decomposition begun. Apparently it had been in the water only a few days. It was that of a woman possibly 30 years old and weighing 122 pounds, with long black hair, gray eyes and dark skin. The features were small and regular.

The only garments were a white unvest of fair quality, a cheap corset, a pair of black stockings and black shoes, with the soles ripped away. Tucked in the top of the corset was a small purse, containing 20 cents and a rubber comb; an empty pint flask and a letter which is thought to have been sent by a sister of the deceased. A gold wedding ring was on the third finger of the left hand.

Cardinals Rebuked.

As a sequel to the presence of four cardinals at the dinner given by Ambassador White in honor of Archbishop Ireland April 25, Cardinal Oreglia, dean of the Sacred College, who, by virture of his rank, is entitled to direct matters of ceremony among his brother cardinals, has written a letter to each of the four cardinals—Vincenzo Venutelli, Satolli, Mathieu, and Martinelli—asking them for an explanation of their presence at a function given by a diplomat accredited to the Quirinal. The letter characterizes the presence of cardinals at such functions as unfitting.

On May 8, at the instigation of Cardinal Oreglia, all cardinals living in Rome received a circular note recalling to their attention the propriety of observthe rules regarding their relations with personages connected with the Italian court.

One of the four cardinals who was present at the Archbishop Ireland dinner, and who, since the issuance of the letter above alluded to, has been received by the Pope, states that Pope Pius says they were right in accepting Ambassador's White's invitation to the dinner in honor of Archbishop Ireland, but that the note had to be sent out to prevent possible future infractions of an established policy of the Vatican.

The Cold Wave.

The cold wave of the past few days has extended over a large area. Frosts in Alabama and Tennessee have killed the cotton crop; an ice-forming temperature has damaged fruits and vegetables in Pennsylvania. A half inch of snow fell in New York. Delaware fruits have been nipped by heavy frosts. A wide area of fruits and vegetables in Ohio and Michigan has been injured by ice, snow and frost. Ice formed in the mountainous regions of Maryland and frost was general throughout Maryland and Virginia. There was heavy frost and some ice at Wytheville, yesterday morning, and there is one inch of snow at Mountain Lake. The vegetables have suffered much damage and it is feared wheat has been injured. The corn crop in southwest Virginia and east Tennessee is said to be a total loss. The fruit crop is far enough advanced, it is believed, to escape serious damage. Snow fell at intervals for a half hour, in Winchester, yesterday morning and winter weather is prevailing. County fruit growers say the peach and apple crops were seriously injured Wednesday night by the severe cold, and gardens have suffered. The bloom was very far advanced, and it is estimated that half of the peaches and apples have been killed.

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FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 11, 1906.

RUSSIA'S DOUMA was inaugurated yesterday amid almost indescribable splendor. While this drama was being enacted St. Petersburg was suggestive of of a city during a siege Soldiers were everywhere and the people were not allowed to stand in groups on the streets. The populace was literally kept on the move during the proceedings in the Winter Palace. As had been anticipated, the Czar's speech was disappointing to those of his subjects who have been dreaming of a representative government. The autocracy of the empire has been in no wise compromised by anything Nicholas has uttered. His address smelt of the lamp; it had been carefully prepared and the force of each word weighed. There was consequently a buzz when the Czar and his retinue left the palace, and every evidence of disappointment on the part of many composing the Douma was manifest. There was a lavish display of crown jewels in the palace, but they did not seem to appeal to the multitude. In the concert room a force of veteran grenadiers mounted guard before the insignia of the Emperor's sovereignty—the imperial crown, scepter, globe, sword, the standard and seal of the empire—representing the most valuable collection of jewels in the world. The precious stones blazed like live coals. The scepter alone is valued at $1,200,000. It is surmounted by the celebrated Orloff diamond, of 185 karats, a mate of the Kohinor, which together formed the eyes of the Golden Lion before the Temple of the Grand Mongul at Delhi. The romantic, bloody history of these two jewels, stolen by Sepoys, is well known. The crown is surmounted by a cross formed of five diamonds, each worth a king's ransom, set upon a priceless ruby, the whole resting on a golden circle studded with pearls, giving it the appearance of a miter and thus making it emblematic not only of sovereignty but of supreme authority over the Russian Church. The globe is surmounted by a diamond cross resting on an immense sapphire. To the multitude it was autocracy, no matter how it was gilded or studded with precious stones.

TWO MEN, Thomas Wier and Charles Moran, the members of the Housesmiths and Bridgemen's Union who, on February 24, were caught trying to blow up a Post & McCord building in New York with dynamite, were sentenced to Judge Foster, Wednesday. Wier, as it was his first offence, was sentenced by the Elmira Reformatory. Moran was sentenced to four years and eight months in Sing Sing. The prisoners when arrested had several pounds of dynamite. Moran later confessed, and revealed the whereabouts of 100 pounds of dynamite, which was to have been used in blowing up buildings. Wier, however, declared he was innocent and stood trial, Morgan was allowed to plead as a first offence. Judge Foster, in pronouncing sentence, said:

The public has a great deal of sympathy for labor unions, but it is such men as you that discredit labor movements and disgrace labor. You do more harm than good to your cause. You, Morgan, ought to have known better. You have been in trouble before, and I think all the clemency that should be extended to you has been extended in permission to plead as a first offence. This is a most atrocious crime. You went into that building with dynamite, intending to destroy it without regard to the life and limb of those working there. I sentence you, Moran, to four years and eight months. Now, Wier, you were as clay in the hands of the potter in this outrage. You are young, and you yielded to temptation, perhaps, in the belief that you were doing something that was smart and clever and brave for the advancement of the cause of your union. I will take these things into consideration, and in view of the fact that you have never been in trouble before I sentence you to the Elmira Reformatory.

Judge Foster seems to have sized up the case exactly. No brave or good man has any consideration for dynamiters, and such scamps should be put where they can do no harm and kept there.

ONE of the ablest of the great arguments in Congress on the railroad controversy, says the Philadelphia Record, is that delivered by Hon. John W. Daniel, the brilliant democratic Senator from Virginia. Comparisons are invidious, but not one of these speeches surpasses that of Senator Daniel in power of exposition of the judicial features of this legislative question. It is no exaggeration of eulogy to predict that passages in this argument will be cited as classical examples of chaste senatorial eloquence. As evidence of the spirit of his discussion of the Bailey amendment, let this sentence suffice:

As I read the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States—and there are not a few of them—it practically holds that when a rate has been fixed by any Commission acting under Congressional power the Court of equity is open for that rate to be brought in question by any party in interest who has suffered by its infliction, and that it is appropriate under old and hoary principles of equity jurisprudence to issue an interlocutory injunction and hold the whole matter in abeyance until the whole is completely investigated and adjudicated.

There is no doubt that the invincible argument of Senator Daniel has had a large share in convincing the Senate as well as the President of the danger of tampering with the equity powers of the courts of the United States. The speeches of Senator Daniel, Senator Morgan, Senator Overman and other democrats, adds the Record, show that the republicans can make no party monopoly of this issue.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, May 11.

Here for a jolly, good social time, the members of the National Piano Manufacturers' Association of America met today in the tenth annual convention of that association. Continuing throughout the week, this convention will be followed next week by a convention of the Piano Dealers' Association. President H. Paul Mehlin, of New York, made his annual address and report of business during the year at the opening of the convention. He recommended that Congress be urged to enact the bill for the removal of tax on denatured grain alcohol, claiming that the reduction of $2 per gallon would be an appreciated saving in the manufacture of sounding boards. He advocated the adoption of fixed selling prices of pianos, pointing out that this meant not an increase in their retail price, but a guarantee to the public against unprincipled dealers. Reports of the executive committee, the treasurer and secretary were heard.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, which is taking testimony today in Chicago in regard to the oil business in the United States, will resume its investigation into the coal industry of the bituminous fields of West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia on Tuesday, May 15. A large number of witnesses have been summoned and the hearings will continue throughout the week.

Seed dealers from the principal cities of the country were given a hearing by Secretary Wilson, of the Agriculture Department, today. Defeated in Congress the seedmen appealed to the Secretary not to distribute the common garden variety of seeds but to expend the appropriation on new varieties and other classes of seeds.

Alonzo Bell, Assistant Secretary of the Department of the Interior under Secretaries Schuz, Kirkwood and Teller and later a member of the legislature of New York and Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Taxes of the city of New York, died yesterday.

Another assault on women was reported to the police last night by Miss Virginia Turner, who lives at 214 Fourteenth street, northeast. While returning to her home unattended about 10 o'clock last night a burly negro stopped her and then viciously hit her in the mouth. The young woman says that he made no attempt at robbery or other violence. The police have arrested several colored men on suspicion.

The President today sent the nomination of William Mahone, of Virginia, to be Collector of Customs for the District of Petersburg, Virginia.

Had to Let Him Roast.

John Bleiler, of Hokendaqua, Pa., met a horrible death shortly after midnight Wednesday, at the Thomas Iron Works, where he was employed. He was working on a cinder engine, and was standing near a furnace waiting for a blast which was about to be made.

In a moment there was a terrific explosion, and the molten iron splashed out of a hole above the mantelpiece, which broke out. Mr. Bleiler was struck in the face with the full force of the explosion. He fell over, and the mass of molten iron and cinders flowed over his body.

His fellow employes made heroic efforts to rescue him, but were unable to do so on account of the stream of molten iron. Bleiler was roasting alive and his cries for help were awful to listen to. The flow from the furnace was stopped and efforts were then made to remove the man from his fiery bath; but the metal cooled slowly and hardened around his body. Death mercifully relieved him a few moments later. The body was burned to a crisp.

High Schools.

A plan for the distribution of the annual appropriation of the legislature of Virginia suggested by Superintendent Eggleston divides the high schools into three grades. The first and second grade high schools to receive three hundred dollars each and the third grade schools to receive two hundred and fifty dollars, the district to contribute at least the amount appropriated by the State. The course of study suggested for the first year to constitute a third grade school which must remain in session eight months and have one teacher devoting all his time to the work, is:

Mathematics.—5 periods a week. Advanced arithmetic, elementary algebra, to quadratics,

Science.—3 periods a week. Physical geography.

History.—3 periods a week. Ancient history or history of Greece and Rome.

English.—5 periods a week. Composition and grammar, classics.

Latin.—5 periods a week. First year Latin.

Boni Guillotined in Effigy.

Political feeling seems to run high in the Department of Basses Alpes, judging from an incident related by the Intransigeant. Count Boni De Castellane had the satisfaction of being re-elected for one of the two constituencies of that department, also the doubtful pleasure of being guillotined in effigy. When the result of the poll was announced the supporters of the defeated candidate hurriedly manufactured a dummy supposed to represent the new deputy. Others improvised a guillotine which they set up in a cemetery, whither Count Boni De Castellane's effigy was dragged through the streets to the accompaniment of singing and dancing. The effigy was beheaded, then buried.

Frederick W. Whitridge, of New York, the special embassador appointed by President Roosevelt to represent the United States at the coming marriage of King Alfonso of Spain to princess Ena, was received in special audience at Buckingham Palace London today by King Edward.

News of the Day.

The Washington Protestant Episcopal Convention yesterday appropriated $3,500 for mission work in the southern counties of Maryland.

Secretary Taft informs the government of Panama that the United States would, if necessary, use United States troops to keep order or put down uprisings even outside of the canal zone.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the President of the Confederate States, who is seriously ill in her apartments in the Hotel Girard, in New York, was said last night to be much better, and hopes are entertained for an early recovery.

Mrs. Annie M. Eckloff ended her life yesterday by hanging herself at her home in Baltimore. Her suicide is attributed to despondency caused by long illness. She had been a sufferer from nervous trouble for about two years. Mrs. Eckloff was fifty-six years old. She is survived by a husband and four children.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick yesterday in Columbus, O., told her expected story of her connection with the Friend case, of Pittsburg. It was in the form of a deposition, taken by attorneys representing the estate, a trust company and other interests, her own counsel being present. After the document was executed it was sealed, and its contents will not be made public until it is read in Court.

The Senate yesterday adopted amendments to the railroad rate bill providing penalties for persons soliciting rebates and restoring the imprisonment penalty to the act of 1887. The House committee authorized a favorable report on the Senate bill authorizing the coining of the reserve gold bullion in the treasury in excess of $50,000,000. A resolution was introduced in the House authorizing the committee on expenditures in the Department of Justice to investigate the use of appropriations made by that department

Virginia News.

Capt. John Lamb was yesterday declared to be the Third district democratic nominee for Congress. Captain Lamb having no opposition there will be no primary.

Judge Witt yesterday refused to renew the license of the Richmond social club to dispense liquor to its members. The Richmond Club was one of the most prominent of its kind in the city.

Dr. William Mead Page died at his home, in Fauquier county, Wednesday morning, aged 74. He was the son of Dr. Matthew Page, of Clarke county. He served in the United States navy and as surgeon in the Confederate army.

Mr. John W. Campbell died suddenly of heart trouble at his home in Fairfax yesterday morning. Mr. Campbell was 62 years old. He was born in Loudoun county, near Upperville. During the war he was a member of Mosby's command.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows adjourned in Richmond yesterday, after installing the new officers and accepting Norfolk's invitation to meet there next year. An amendment was adopted to change the meeting from May to such time as may be designated by the Grand Lodge in annual session.

Interviewed yesterday in Richmond, Governor Swanson, referring to the control of Virginia railroads by the Pennsylvania, said that, competition having been eliminated as a factor in fixing rates, there is no safe alternative except for the State and nation to step in for protection of the public.

The Society of the Cincinnati, Dr. Geo. Ben. Johnson presiding, held its meeting yesterday in the hall of the House of Delegates, in Richmond, many prominent men and women being present. Mayor McCarthy welcomed the visitors. Letters of regret were read from Grover Cleveland, M. Jusserand, ambassador from France, and others. A banquet last night closed the celebration.

The place of R. D. Armstrong, stock, grain and cotton broker in Staunton, with direct wires to New York and Chicago, was closed yesterday. The first claim was for $900, due John Smyth, of Staunton, and R. W. Crowder, lawyer, of Waynesboro, followed with a claim of $1,400. The latter sued out an attachment against the New York stock firm of T. A. McIntyre & Co., and had papers sent to Hot Springs, to attach the handsome $75,000 office building owned and operated there, by McIntyre & Co. He alleges that Armstrong simply represents McIntyre & Co., and that the latter is the owner of the business here. There is also a capias out for Armstrong's arrest.

Killed in Her Sight.

After they had returned from school yesterday afternoon Charles Hilton, 11 years old, and Blanche Naudain, 10 years old, of Philadelphia, told their parents they were going to pick wild flowers in the "Neck," and left the Hilton home yesterday munching some cake. Blanche gathered daisies on the river side of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad at Wolf street, while her playmate remained on the other side of the tracks. Just as a slow moving freight train passed Wolf street, Blanche called to the boy, "Oh, come over here, Charlie, there are lots of big flowers here." Hilton crawled between two of the cars, intending to join his companion, but he slipped and fell beneath the wheels and was killed. Blanche saw the accident and ran along with the train, screaming hysterically.

All that the engineer could do after stopping the train was to place the mangled body of the boy on the grass until the patrol wagon arrived.

Riotous Strikers.

About 500 street laborers, mostly Italians, fought in Newark, N. J., yesterday with shovels, clubs and knives. Before they were stopped every police reserve in the city had been called to the spot. One man was picked up unconscious after the fight and many had cuts and bruises, but no one was fatally injured. The fight started when over 300 striking laborers, who had been employed in the construction department of the public service corporation, attacked a body of laborers who had taken their places. The strikers had demanded an increase in wages from 15 to 17½ cents an hour. A small band of the strikers, marching under a red flag, returned to the attack later. The police overpowered them and made eight arrests.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, May 11.

SENATE.

The Senate met an hour earlier than usual today with a view of reaching a final vote from the judicial review feature of the railroad rate bill before adjournment this afternoon.

The question as to whether inferior U. S. Courts should be given limited or unlimited jurisdiction in reviewing rates fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission has been the storm center of the long and aggressive contest that has been waged in and out of the Senate ever since the Hepburn bill came over from the House. Before the adjournment of the Senate last night the executive decks were cleared for action today upon the Allison amendments and other judicial review propositions, a half dozen of which are pending.

The first of the Allison compromise amendments striking out the words "fairly remunerative" from the description of the rates, that may be ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission, was adopted without debate by viva voce vote.

The second of the Allison amendments which provide that the orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission shall go into effect within a "reasonable time" instead of "thirty days," and continue in force for not more than two years was adopted after a short speech by Mr. LaFollette, suggesting that the limitation of two years should be stricken out.

Senator Bailey's amendment to entirely prohibit the issuance of preliminary injunctions to suspend the operation of orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission, was defeated 54 to 23.

Messrs Burkett, Hale and LaFollette were republicans voting for the Bailey amendment, and Bacon, Culberson, Daniel, Morgan, Pettus and Talisferro, democrats, voted in the negative.

The day's discussion was begun by treatment of the anti-pass amendment recently adopted.

Many telegrams from railroad organizations protesting against it because it would prevent the families of employees from receiving free transportation, were read and Mr. Spooner characterized the amendment as an injustice, and one that would prevent the wife or family of a dying employe from being transported free to the injured man's side.

Mr. Clapp asked that the amendment be reconsidered by unanimous consent. Objection was made.

Mr. Allison then offered the second amendment agreed upon by the republican Senators, putting the orders of the commission into effect within reasonable time and continuing that in force not to exceed two years unless suspended or modified by the courts which was agreed to.

Mr. LaFollette objected to any limitation and moved to strike it out. It was agreed to.

Mr. Bailey offered his amendment, prohibiting the inferior federal courts from suspending the commission's rate by an interlocutory degree, this was lost.

Mr. Allison's amendment to strike from the bill the words "fairly remunerative," relative to the rate that the commission was directed to fix, was then adopted.

The Lodge amendment giving the commission authority, "when one of the connecting companies is a water line," was adopted.

HOUSE.

The House today adopted a resolution calling upon the State Department for all the information in its possession concerning the seizure by the Mexican government of the three Galveston, Texas, fishing boats, and the imprisonment of the crews for alleged violations of the Mexican fishing laws.

Mr. Adams, in charge of the resolution, stated that the machinery of the State Department has already been set in motion to secure the release of the imprisoned fishermen and the American Ambassador at the City of Mexico has been instructed to conduct a searching inquiry into the matter.

To Jail to Escape Two Wives.

"Yes, your Honor, I have been living with two wives for three months now, and it is too much for any man. I would rather go to jail than keep it up."

This was the confession of Gustave Gotlieb when arraigned before Magistrate Mayo in New York yesterday, charged with bigamy. He is an elevatorman, employed at No. 110 west Thirty-fourth street. For twelve years he has been living on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, where he has a wife and two children. Three months ago he flirted with Jessie Fair, a manicurist in the building where he works. He told her he wanted "a nice little girl to make him a wife." Miss Fair decided she answered the qualifications, and the flirtation resulted in marriage. Wife No. 2 says that after the first week her husband was away three or four nights in the week. She said she didn't mind, as he told her he had to sit up with a wealthy old aunt who was on her death bed; and that this act of devotion would be amply repaid.

After the denouement Miss Fair, who was heartbroken, procured a warrant from Magistrate Mayo, on which last night Gotlieb was arrested, after trying to escape by the rear of the house.

A Boycott Enjoined

The long fight between the Chicago Federation of Musicians and the so-called non-union bands organized under the name of the American, Musicians' Union of North America, reached a climax Wednesday when Judge Walker issued an injunction restraining the Chicago federation from interfering in any way with the bands named in the bill of complaint. The bill upon which the injunction was issued was the result of the continued efforts of the Chicago Federation of Musicians to force out of business those bands which have refused to ally themselves with the federation. The boycott of which the bill complains and for which the injunction was issued has been carried on for three years by the defendant union. The union musicians caused serious complications in the Labor Day parade two years ago and at other times.

Crushed to Death.

Rochester, N. Y., May 11.—William de Wischer was crushed to death by a quantity of coal at the Philadelphia & Reading Company's trestle in Lytle avenue early this morning. De Wischer was working on one part of the trestle when a partition gave way releasing several tons of coal stored on the other side and was completely buried. He was dead by the time he had been dug out.

Today's Telegraphic News

Town Burning.

Suterville, Pa., May 11.—Fire broke out at 8:30 o'clock this morning in the frame building occupied by Kelly Brothers as a general merchandise store on Main street and spread with a rapidity that utterly paralyzed the efforts of the local fire fighters. Seeing that the conflagration threatened the whole town, the authorities sent out calls for help to Connellsville, McKeesport, Braddock and Pittsburg. At 10 o'clock the fire was burning with undiminished vigor. The wildest excitement prevailed and people made hurried preparations to leave their homes. The whole town seemed doomed an hour after the fire started and outside help is the only thing that can save it. The streets were soon filled with household goods piled up in the streets a square away from the burning buildings.

It is now estimated that the loss will not fall short of $100,000. The flames were checked before noon by the formation of a bucket brigade to the river. Goldberg's clothing store and Shaner's drugstore were also burned.

Arrest of Defaulter.

Newburyport, Mass., May 11.—City Treasurer James V. Felker, charged with a shortage in his accounts, was arrested at his home about midnight, and at a session of the municipal court, hastily held, was remanded in default of $10,000 to the county jail. It is said he has used the money for investing in stocks, expecting to make a profit and return the money to the city. The amount of the shortage is not known, but a hasty examination of the books is said to indicate that it will amount to between $40,000 and $50,000. The case was continued until Monday. Being unable to furnish the required security, early this morning Felker was remanded to the county jail. Mr. Felker has been city treasurer for fifteen years.

Miss Krupp to Marry.

Berlin, May 11.—Bertha Krupp, the wealthiest woman in the world, whose annual income is $5,000,000, is engaged to be married. The name of the lucky man who has won her affections is being kept a strict secret, however. One report is that her fiance is a royal prince, while another story has it that the favored suitor is a poor physician who won her. The Kaiser, who takes a great interest in Miss Krupp's career, is shortly to visit the Krupp residence at Essen, and the betrothal will be celebrated in his presence with a sumptuous festival, according to the German custom. The name of the chosen husband of the heiress will be kept a secret until that time.

Labor Leaders Murdered.

Rome, May 11.—The two principal leaders in the labor strike movement in Milan were murdered last night. The murderers escaped and have not as yet been apprehended by the authorities.

Rome, May 11.—The strike situation here remains serious this morning. Thousands of strikers assembled near the Coliseum and passed resolutions protesting against the action of troops in using arms in dispersing crowds of people. The strikers are trying to force an entrance to the city, but they are opposed in this by the troops. Repeated charges were made by cavalry on the strikers, who persisted in trying to reach the centre of the city.

Turkey's Terms Rejected.

Constantinople, May 11.—The Turkish foreign minister made a visit to Sir Nicholas O'Connor, the British Ambassador, to whom he made proposals in regard to settling the Tabas dispute. Sir Nicholas sternly rejected his proposals, however, and informed the minister that the time in which the Turkish troops must be removed would not be extended beyond the ultimatum.

London, May 11.—The Times in his second edition prints a dispatch from Cairo, which states that hopes are entertained there that a peaceful settlement will be reached in the dispute between Great Britain and Turkey over the evacuation of Tabas by the Turks.

Mrs. Davis's Condition.

New York, May 11.—It was stated at the Hotel Gerard this morning that Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the President of the confederacy, had a very comfortable night. Dr. Robert H. Wylie, after his last visit to Mrs. Davis, stated that she was improved. Mrs. Davis is suffering from a severe attack of grippe and on account of her advanced age, it has been feared that she might not recover. Her condition yesterday was regarded as dangerous. Her daughter, Mrs. J. Addison Hayes, is on her way here from Colorado Spring. Jefferson Davis Hayes, a grandson, was also summoned to her bedside from Princeton university, where he is a student.

The Sultan's Health.

Manchester, Eng., May 11.—A dispatch to the Guardian from Constantinople says that the Sultan's physician has confided to a high official of the palace that the condition of the Sultan's health is very grave, and that unless he abandons his present habits, especially regarding that of drinking, he cannot live longer than six months. The real disease from which the Sultan is suffering, according to the physician, is consumption brought on by excesses. He has fits daily and a fever temperature rising to 102 degrees, followed by prostration, but in spite of the warnings, of the physician Abdul Hamid refuses to alter his mode of life.

Violent Storms in Germany.

Berlin, May 11.—Violent storms and high winds have followed the excessively warm weather which prevailed throughout Germany, causing considerable damage and some loss of life. At Cologne a house was uprooted and several buildings collapsed. The whirlwind raised a column of water thirty feet high in the Rhine. The Guandelfinden church was struck by lightning while a service was in progress, and two persons were killed and ten injured.

Serious Conditions in Zululand.

Durban, May 11.—The most serious news from the Zululand was received this morning. Advices stated that several thousand Zulus are joining the rebels under the leadership of Chief Banbasta and that the colonial troops are being hurried up to intercept and prevent a junction of the rebels. Sanguinary fighting is expected to immediately follow the appearance of the colonial troops on the scene.

Why take a dozen things to cure that cough? Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar allays the congestion, stops that tickling, drives the cold out through your bowels. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King St.

Flee From Harems

Constantinople, May 11.—An anti-harem epidemic seems to have broken out among the Turkish women and girls of the better classes. A few months ago two daughters of Nouri Bey, Secretary General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, fled from a harem and went to Paris. A little later a daughter of Redvan Pasha, City Prefect, who was recently assassinated, fled to Broussa Yesterday it was learned that the daughter of Memdouh Pasha, Minister of the Interior, and of Turkhan Pasha, Minister of Pious Foundations, have fled from the country to escape the deadly dulness of harem life. Similar cases are reported in other families of good standing. The Sultan is uneasy over the escapes, and is likely to sanction a law forbidding the intrusion of foreign women in the harems, inasmuch as they "constitute a grave danger to the peace of the souls of Turkish women," who frequently are too weak to resist the glowing temptations of European women in contrast to the dismal harem life.

Conditions in Russia.

St. Petersburg, May 11.—The papers today express disappointment because of the failure of the Czar to include any reference to an amnesty for political offenders in his address from the throne, which he read to the Douma yesterday The Twentieth Century says that this is the result of French money. Everyone is hoping that great good will come to the country through the assembling of the Douma. The energy of the president, M. Moromitseff, has been favorably commented upon. The peasant deputies, by their attitude, created a fine impression. They appeared thoroughly at home, and their high intelligence and serious attention to business attracted attention. It is reported on good authority today that M. Goremykin, the new premier, will resign soon. He has no authority practically, and it is stated he was not even admitted to hear the discussions in regard to drafting the Czar's address to the Douma.

Breaks from a Bank and Runs.

Mount Carmel, Pa., May 11.—A handsome young man, giving the name of Samuel Horne, was captured here yesterday afternoon, after attempting to draw $50 upon several forged checks for $300 he had just deposited at the First National Bank. Cashier Watkins held him in conversation while other officials collared him, took him to the directors' room and locked him in, when the officials telephoned for the police. Horne heard the message and broke through the heavy plate-glass in the upper sash of the back window, gashing himself badly, dropping nearly 10 feet to the ground The crash of the glass brought the bankers, and a chase began that led through houses and lots for ten squares, when Ray Williams, a bank clerk, overtook and jumped upon him. He struggled desperately, but was held until help arrived. Justice Reed held him for court upon a charge of forgery.

Funeral Drivers Strike.

New York, May 11.—The 1,000 members of the Funeral-drivers' Union, No. 643, following an all night meeting, decided to strike and the order became effective at seven o'clock this morning. Later the Stephen Merritt Burial and Cremation Company signed the new scale, and their employees returned to work. It is expected that before night a number of the other prominent burial concerns will sign the new scale which will materially reduce the number of men on strike. Nearly all the funerals in New York today will be held under police escort, stable proprietors having filed requests for guards with the police authorities.

Disorders in Russia.

Simirsk, Russia, May 11.—A clash between the police and crowd celebrating the meeting of the Douma occurred here. Afterward a gang of Holligans attacked the demonstrators. Ten persons were injured in the melee. A Te Deum was sung in the cathedral in celebration of the Douma opening, and following this the crowd formed a procession and marched toward the prison, carrying red flags and singing revolutionary songs. The police dispersed the people and later the scattered bands were attacked by rowdies. Some of the wounded are in a serious condition.

Coal Trust Upheaval Ahead.

Pottsville, Pa., May 11.—Independent coal operators here say the amendment to the railroad rate bill prohibiting railroads from having even an indirect interest in coal mines will make a revolution in the anthracite business. They say that some of the changes to come will be so far-reaching that it will be impossible to forecast them. If the eastern railroads are forced to give the independents the same rates as are given soft coal, the independents will again become the big factor in the trade they were before Franklin B. Gowen bought up most of them.

A Mad Boy's Bomb.

Washington, Pa., May 11.—Angered because he had been refused admittance to a game, Earl Carnahan, aged 13, of West Washington, yesterday secured a nitro-glycerine cap, and, exclaiming, "I'll fix you!" hurled it into a bonfire around which his playmates were standing. When the smoke of the explosion had lifted James Simpson, aged 14, was found lying unconscious with a gaping wound in his head, and several other boys were less seriously injured. Young Carnahan was arrested.

Pincher Pays for Fun.

Atlantic City, May 11.—Arthur Cross, who says he is a professor of languages in New York and a visitor at one of the prominent hotels, was accused in the Police Court by several women with having pinched them while on the boardwalk. Policeman Beach said he had personally seen him attack a woman. The prisoner gave no explanation for his strange conduct and was given the alternative of serving a month in jail or paying $15. He paid up.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give you One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Spier a Defaulter.

New York, May 11.—While examination into the accounts of Charles T. Spier, the confidential man of H. H. Rogers, who was found dead in his home on Staten Island early Monday morning, indicates that he was a defaulter for at least $180,000, the shortage is expected to grow as the search by expert accountants continues. It is argued that Spier became a defaulter because of his losses in the stock market and that when these losses showed him that he had become a thief he ended his life. Coroner Casell and the coroner's physician, Dr. Geo. Ward, who performed the autopsy, and Dr. Patterson, the family physician, discredit the suicide theory. They declare the wound could not have been inflicted by Mr. Spier. It is their belief that the revolver was either discharged accidently, in falling, or that Spier did meet a burglar; that both fired at the same time, and that the intruder was hit in the hand, which caused the various blood spots.

Rubber Ball Caused Riot.

Cumberland, Md., May 11.—A little rubber ball attached to a string in the hands of a colored girl caused a riot last night between whites and blacks. There was a festival at a negro church and two negro girls who sat in the doorway with a ball and string struck one or two white men who were passing. Words followed when one of the men struck the two girls. Negro men then rushed out of the church and soon got away with the whites. The latter went away, but returned later with about twenty friends, when a riot ensued that was fierce, stones and other missiles being freely used. No one was seriously injured, but the women folks became panic-stricken and a number of them fainted. The trouble was finally quelled by the police.

Earthquake Shocks.

Petersburg, Ind., May 11.—Two distinct earthquake shocks were felt here at 5:30 o'clock this morning. Buildings shook so violently that many people jumped from their beds. The second shock followed the first at an interval of 40 seconds. A vivid flash, similar to lightning, and a low rumbling noise from the west preceded the first shock.

New Bedford, Mass., May 11.—A large number of the Polish people residing in New Bedford are leaving the city owing to the recent reports that an earthquake would visit this section somewhere about the 22nd of this month.

Railroad Accidents.

Lynchburg, Va., May 11.—Three firemen have just been killed in a Norfolk & Western wreck below this city and a number of persons were injured.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 11.—The Chattanooga Southern passenger train ran into a Lookout Mountain trolley car this morning at five o'clock. Conductor Rankin and Foreman Dedrigo, of the Central Manufacturing Company, were instantly killed. Frederick, a laborer, was fatally injured and five passengers more or less seriously injured.

Asphyxiated.

Philadelphia, May 11.—Two young Hungarian girls, who had come to this country a few weeks ago, were found overcome by gas this morning in the Glendon Hotel, a theatrical boarding house, at 210 Franklin street, where they were employed. One was dead, and the other died in the Jefferson Hospital. The names of the girls are not known.

New York Stock Market.

New York, May 11.—Trading on the stock exchange have has been fair today, but prices were irregular. A number of high-priced stocks made sharp advances, while the usually active standard shares fluctuated within narrow limits, and the transactions in them were without much significance or importance. Anaconda score an improvement of 1 point. Rubber common was exceptionally weak.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The fight of the paper trust in the United States Circuit Court here against the government was abandoned today in St. Paul, when the Minnesota directors of the trust paid their fines imposed during the proceedings recently for refusing to answer questions.

His mind temporarily deranged, David Yarnell aged 80 years, a wealthy farmer who resided with his married daughter Mrs. Wynne, in the fashioned suburb of Ardmore, this morning, near Philadelphia shot and then turning the smoking weapon upon himself, sent a bullet into his own brain dying instantly.

The Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, at Sixty-fifth street and avenue A, New York, will be opened this afternoon at four o'clock, with appropriate ceremonies. It is expected that Mr. Rockefeller, who has given $3,000,000 to the equipment of the institution, will be present.

Through the daring bravery of a policeman William White, a negro, was this morning saved from being strung up to a cross-arm of a big telegraph pole at Eleventh and Callow hill streets, Philadelphia. White had brutally beaten his wife.

Mrs. Lewis Teweksbury, wife of the exemplar of frenzied finance, now on trial in New York, was found not guilty on the charge of false pretences at a hearing in the Clerkenwell sessions court, London today, and was ordered discharged.

As a result of a cave-in while excavating for a new building opposite fire headquarters, on Commercial street, Worcester Mass, today, two men are dead, two are on the dangerous list at city the hospital while a fifth will recover.

The condition of Carl Schurz, who was reported last night to be dying at his home in New York was stated to be somewhat improved this morning. He is suffering from a complication of diseases.

As a result of the cold weather, and frosts in the vicinity of Middletown N. Y., fruit farms have sustained considerable loss as many trees were in bud. Ice has formed in many places.

Grover Cleveland said very positively in Philadelphia, yesterday that he never again would be a candidate for the presidency. "No, not under any circumstances."

For a painful burn there is nothing like DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. There are a host of imitations of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve on the market—see that you get the genuine. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King St.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—This water is indicated in all affections due to Uric Acid, Diathesis, Gout, Rheumatism, Stone in the Bladder, Kidneys or Liver Bright's Disease and Kidney Diseases of every form For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Sole Agents Cor. Prince & Fairfax Sts

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HUTCH, HUTCH, HUTCH.—Try HUTCH for indigestion. It will cure you. 25 cents per box. For sale only by WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax sts

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSA, 82 barrels just received, to sell at 40c gallon. J. C. MILBURN.

Ten sacks GOOD COFFEE to be roasted and sold at fifteen cents by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 11, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:49 a. m. and sets at 7 02 p. m. High water at 10:24 a. m. and 10:59 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight and Saturday; light variable winds.

Weather Prognostications.

There was frost again last night and in exposed places in Fairfax county thin ice formed. The roofs of cars passing the union depot early this morning bore evidence of having passed through a snowfall. The forecast of Hicks for the first half of the month of May will prove interesting in the face of facts. He says: "A regular storm period central on the 9th, covers the 7th to 12th [No such thing has been reported.] By the 8th low barometer and much warmer will be advancing from the west, attended by very decided storms. [None of which has taken place.] From 9th to 12th a series of storms will sweep most parts of the country, progressing from west to east. [Another miscarriage.] Rapid change to high barometer, westerly gales and much cooler weather will follow this series of storms. [Cooler weather invariably follows such disturbances.] Frosts will visit many northern and central sections from the 10th to 14th [The weather today (the 11th) shows moderation with no indications that frosts will continue until the 14th.]

According to this seer, May is to be a stormy month. He designates Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 21st, 22nd and 23rd, as "danger days," and predicts electrical storms, and seismic and volcanic disturbances.

Personal.

Mr. Jas. W. Carr and family have gone to Bristow to spend the summer and fall.

Ex-Mayor Strauss has returned from a visit to Charlottesville.

Mrs. W. H. F. Lee has returned to Ravensworth, after a few days' visit to Mrs. J. C. Renshaw and Mrs. Bartlett Bolling, at the University of Virginia.

Prof. L. E. Gannon, who for many years was the director of the famous choir of St. Matthew's Church, Washington, will, on Sunday afternoon next, sing at the Vesper service at St Mary's church the "Salve Virgo Florens" by Karst. Prof. George Herbert Wells will preside at the organ.

Mrs. Bransford Adams, son and daughter, left yesterday to visit friends in Alexandria.—[Lynchburg Advance.

Lieutenant James Smith, of the police force, is seriously ill at his home on north Fairfax street. He is suffering from a carbuncle.

Fined Twenty-five Dollars.

W. H. Green, a Washingtonian, arrived here yesterday and at night visited north Lee street. He entered a house in that neighborhood, became disorderly and finally struck a woman. Officers Arrington and Sherwood took Green in charge and upon reaching the station house it was alleged by the woman that he had assaulted her with a blackjack. He was required to leave $25 for his appearance this morning in the Police Court. Justice Caton, after hearing the evidence, fined Green $25.

To Visit Europe.

City Engineer Fendall, of Baltimore, will leave that city the first of July for his paving inspection trip abroad. The definite time of his departure will be determined upon receipt of a letter from the city engineer of London. Mr. Fendall will also visit Paris, Munich, Berlin, Vienna and Budapesth. Other cities may be included in the trip if he deems it advisable upon investigation. Mr. Fendall expects to be away about three months.

Death of Mr. Howard.

Mr. Arthur Howard died last night at Mr. Frank McLearan's house, northeast corner of Duke and Henry streets. The deceased was 51 years old. He had been a sufferer from consumption. Mr. Howard was a native of Fairfax county, but had been a resident of Alexandria since early manhood. He was at times employed at Mr. B. Wheatley's and Demaine & Son's undertaking establishment.

St. George's Island.

Officials of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company left today for St. George's Island, where the company propose to fit up a summer resort. St. George's Island, a few years ago, was one of the most popular places on the river. It is said that the N. & W. Co. intend to make Sunday trips to the island when their new steamer, the Jamestown, shall have been put in commission.

"Cut Out."

The big seine of Messrs. Herring and Pyke at the Widewater fishing shore, on the Potomac river, Stafford county, has been cut out for the season. During the time the shore was operated this year more than 1,000,000 herring and a great many other kinds of fish were caught. Many herring were sold to mountain wagons on the shore, and the others were prepared for curing.

Progressive Association.

Six persons responded last night to the call for a meeting of the Citizens' Progressive Association. No meeting was held. It was the intention of representatives of the association to discuss the question of electricity for the city, as well as to take action in reference to the approaching election for four Aldermen and eight members of the Common Council.

Strawberries

Strawberries are becoming more plentiful, and some now exposed in stores are of fine variety. Mr. J. M. Pettit, jr., 717 King street, today received a wagon load of this fruit from Norfolk. The berries were in fine condition. They are being sold at from 10 to 12½ cents a box. Home-grown strawberries will make their appearance during the latter part of the present month.

Auction Sale Tomorrow.

Captain R. F. Knox, auctioneer, will sell at noon tomorrow at the Royal street entrance to the City Hall the parcels of ground known as lots number 28, 29 and 30 in Norton and Barley's subdivision, bounded by Alfred, Patrick and Montgomery streets and the Manderville line, also a piece of land known as the court in said subdivision.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of last night:

Patrick Buckley, arrested by Officer Jones charged with incorrigibility, was dismissed.

Florence Wise, colored, arrested by Officers Young and Roberts charged with petit larceny, was dismissed.

W. H. Green, arrested by Officers Arrington and Sherwood charged with assaulting Ann Thompson with a blackjack, was fined $25.

A white man, arrested by Officer Henderson for habitual drunkenness, was sent to jail for 10 days.

A white man, arrested by Officers Nicholson and Sherwood for being drunk on the street was dismissed.

George Jones, colored, arrested by Officer Knight charged with assaulting and beating Emma Thomas, was fined $5.

"The Old Dairy Homestead."

The play to be presented at the Lyceum tonight promises to be one of the finest amateur performances ever given in this city. The stage and scenic effects have been prepared with great care, and the performers are particularly suited to the roles they will assume. A genuine evening of pleasure is promised all who attend. There will be no reserved seats and the admission is only 25c. The box office opens at 7 p. m., and the performance begins at 8 p. m.

Circuit Court for the City.

[Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.]

Catherine Makely vs. Southern Railway Company; one suit in chancery and the other common law; both dismissed.

Court adjourned for the term.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Little drops of water,
Little sprig of mint
Little rye if you are dry—
Just a spring-time hint.

The weather has been milder today, the wind having shifted from northwest to south during last night.

Derangement of the underground current in Washington caused a delay in the running of electric trains between this city and Washington this afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company will be held tonight. The members are earnestly requested to be present, as business of importance is to be transacted.

Mr. S. H. Lunt sold at auction today for Mr. C. C. Carlin, attorney in fact for owners, a lot of ground and dwelling thereon situated on Wilkes street, between Fairfax and Royal, designated as house No. 311, to Mr John H. Robey, for $600 cash.

Salt water fish are now arriving and taking the place of shad and herring. Two shad were in market this morning—one buck and the other roe. The former brought 40 cents and the latter 70. Herring, which are scarce, were selling at 15 cents a dozen.

A horse attached to a wagon belonging to Mr. C. C. Pelton started to runaway on Columbus street, between Queen and Princess, this morning. The animal ran on the pavement and the wagon narrowly escaped being smashed by collision with a tree. People in the vicinity seized the bridle of the horse and stopped the runaway.

The M Schuler Beef Company wish to extend their thanks to the people of Alexandria for their liberal patronage of Chase & Sanborn's Mocha and Java Coffees, having sold 1,300 pounds in the past three weeks.

During plant season I will be in the country market with geraniums, cannas and coleus; also fine pink dahlia clumps at 10 cents; also cut flowers. C. A. Shaffer & Co.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen, Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c, Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

Famous Strike Breakers

The most famous strike breakers in the land are Dr King's New Life Pills. When liver and bowls go on strike, they quickly settle the trouble, and the purifying work goes right on. Best cure for constipation, headache and dizziness. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater &Sons', druggists.

CITY BULLETIN.

Schafer's best brand of Hams and Breakfast Bacon, small sizes, 15c per lb.; Best Flour, every sack guaranteed, large sack, 70c, small sack, 15c; Davis O. K. and Bob White Baking Powders, 4c each; Rumford's, 9c each; three cans of Challenge Milk, 25c; three cans of Kairomel Syrup or Molasses, 25c; four cans of Boston Baked Beans, 25c; best Green Tea, 35c per lb.; Quaker Oats, 3 boxes for 25c.

HARLOW BROTHERS,
my3 tf Cameron and Royal Streets.

THE WHISKY OF OUR FOREFATHERS.

Continental Pure Rye, 75c full quart, 38c a pint; Overholt, bottled in bond, and Paul Jones Pure Rye, 90c full quart; Port, Sherry, Catawba and Claret, 25c a quart. All the leading brands of fine wines and liquors for family trade. 'Phone 85 or drop postal.

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Fancy Florida Tomatoes, 2 lbs. 25c;

Large Pineapples, 2 for 25c; Oyster's Best Butter, 28c lb.; 5 lb. Bucket Lard, 50c (Diamond Brand); 4 cans Corn, 25c; 4 cans Peas, 25c; 2 cans Table Peaches, 25c.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON.
feb2 Royal and Wolfe streets.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 15, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 00, 6 10, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9 00 a. m., 2 00 p. m. and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 2 00, 9 30 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 20 a. m., and 3 20, 6 10 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 15 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 4 15 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 00 p. m. and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 15, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 00, 6 10, 8 23 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

WANTED.—A WAITER at once. Apply at J. BRILL'S RESTAURANT, foot of King street. my11 3t

Twenty boxes full-weight ADAMANTINE CANDLES just received by

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Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 20
Family	4 25	a	4 51
Fancy brands	4 75	a	5 00
Wheat, longberry	0 84	a	0 86
Mixed	0 83	a	0 85
Fultz	0 83	a	0 85
Damp and tough	0 65	a	0 70
Corn, white	0 54	a	0 58
Mixed	0 52	a	0 56
Yellow	0 51	a	0 56
Corn Meal	0 60	a	0 62
Rye	0 50	a	0 50
Oats, mixed, new	0 30	a	0 40
White, new	0 38	a	0 40
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 22	a	0 25
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 15½	a	0 16
Live Chickens (hens)	0 12½	a	0 13
Potatoes, per bu	0 75	a	0 95
Sweet Potatoes	2 25	a	2 50
Yams	1 80	a	2 00
Onions, per bushel	1 00	a	1 10
Dried Cherries	0 12	a	0 14
Dried Apples	0 04	a	0 04½
Apples, per bbl	4 50	a	5 00
Dried Peaches, peeled	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50	a	8 00
Bacon, country hams	0 13	a	0 13½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 13	a	0 13½
Butchers' hams	0 13	a	0 13½
Breakfast Bacon	0 13	a	0 13½
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Bulk shoulders	0 09½	a	0 09½
Dry Salt sides	0 09½	a	0 10
Fat backs	0 08½	a	0 08½
Bellies	0 10	a	0 10½
Smoked shoulders	0 11	a	0 11½
Smoked sides	0 10½	a	0 10½
Veal Calves	0 06	a	0 06½
Lambs	0 06½	a	0 08
Lard	0 09½	a	0 10½
Smoked Beef	0 16	a	0 18½
Sugars—Brown	4 00	a	4 25
Off A	4 45	a	4 50
Conf. standard		a	4 50
Granulated	4 55	a	4 70
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 26
Molasses B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 28
Salt—G. A	0 55	a	0 58
Fine	0 75	a	1 15
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Washed	0 28	a	0 29
Merino, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Do. washed	0 28	a	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 75	a	7 50
Potomac No 1	3 00	a	3 25
No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring			3 75
Potomac family roe	4 00	a	4 50
Do. half barrel	2 00	a	2 25
Potomac Shad	11 00	a	12 00
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	14 00	a	14 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75
Clover Seed	6 50	a	7 55
Timothy	2 25	a	2 0
Hay	15 50	a	16 00

Made Happy for Life.

Great happiness came into the home of S. C. Blair, school superintendent, at St. Albans, W. Va., when his little daughter was restored from the dreadful complaint he names. He says: "My little daughter had St. Vitus Dance, which yielded to no treatment but grew steadily worse until as a last resort we tried Electric Bitters; and I rejoice to say, three bottles effected a complete cure," Quick, sure cure for nervous complaints, general debility, female weaknesses, impoverished blood and malaria. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price 50c.

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PONY JACKETS AND ETON SUITS, WORTH $22.50 to $29.50 COMPRISE THE LOTS.

The Pony Jacket Suit is of gray and white mixed Panama; jacket trimmed with blue Panama; and collar and cuffs; skirt in the popular circular style.

The Eton Suit is of light checked Panama; short sleeves, finished with silk cuffs, trimmed with braid. The skirt is cut circular with paneled front.

$1, $1.25, $1.50 English Mohair Sicilian, 69c.

Colors are cream, myrtle, brown, marine, navy, gray, red, &c. There are fifty pieces in this lot; some are 54 inches wide; others are 45 inches wide; worth up to $1.50. Choice of all, both plain and fancy, yard 69c

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That sell from the piece at 25c to 10c. Choice at 19c

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of April, 1906.

Hiram E. Webb
vs. } Chancery.
Lizzie Webb,

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce by Hiram E. Webb from Lizzie Webb.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Lizzie Webb, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Oliver & Brumback and Alfred D. Smith, p. q. my1 w4w-tu

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of April, 1906.

City Council of Alexandria, which sues for itself and for such other lien creditors as may come into, take part in and share the expenses of this suit, vs William F. Brookes, John Sinclair Brookes and George Dashiell Brookes.

Memo. The object of this suit is to subject the following property in the city of Alexandria, Virginia: Beginning at the intersection of the north side of Prince street with the west side of Washington street and running thence west on Prince street 50 feet; thence north parallel to Washington street 100 feet to a 10 feet alley; thence east parallel to Prince street 50 feet to Washington street, and thence south on Washington street 100 feet to the place of beginning, to the payment of the lien of the City Council thereon for taxes, and all other liens.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, John Sinclair Brookes and George Dashiell Brookes, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
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Samuel P. Fisher, p. q. my1 w4w-tu

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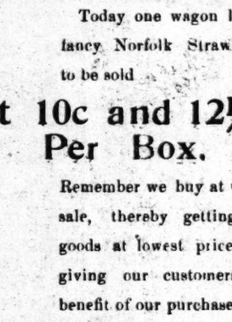

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Gasoline Stoves.

2-burners	$2.98
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Blue Flame Oil Stoves.

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Made of sheet steel.

Single Stoves	75c
Double Stoves	$1.50

Water Coolers.

Best galvanized iron.

2-gallon size	$1.10
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4-gallon size	$2.25

White Lined Water Coolers.

3-gallon size	$2.98
4-gallon size	$3.50

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TO THE OWNER, whose name is unknown, of one black horse with a white hind foot and a blaze on the forehead.

Take notice—There is due me for board of said horse the sum of $92.50, and if the same is not paid within ten days, the said horse will be sold at public auction in front of my stable, on Washington street, between King and Cameron streets, on the 19th day of May, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m., the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction of the amount due me as aforesaid.

Terms of sale—Cash.

my9 td P. T. HARRINGTON.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. V. Hoy and J. W. Entwisle, under the firm name of J. V. HOY & CO., has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. J. V. Hoy assumes payment of all obligations of the firm and will still carry on the business at 1117 King street, where he has a full line of Wall Paper.

my5 1w J. V. HOY.

FOR RENT OR SALE.—A most desirable eight room COTTAGE, with all modern improvements. Apply to R. C. WILLIS, Theological Seminary, Fairfax county, Va.

my8 1w*

WANTED.—Immediately TWO GOOD MEN to use a scythe. Apply to W. T. EMERSON, Union Cemetery. my5 6t*

B. P. O. E.

Are You An Elk?

Then Come With Us.

Let every man, woman and child do a little. The Elks' Fair must be a

SUCCESS.

Merchants and individuals who have promised donations will please send them to the hall at once, or notify the committee when the same can be expected.

FAIR MAY 14 to 24

Alexandria Lodge, No. 758.

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Ramsay Sells the Best

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ASK RAMSAY.

Lowney's Cocoa.

Half Pound Tins. 20c, at Ramsay's.

Cantrell & Cochrane's Belfast Ginger Ale.

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Hires.

Hire's Root Beer.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

Duff's Carbonated Apple Juice.

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Quarts and Pints.

For Sale by

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Athletic Goods.

Have a large and varied assortment of

BASEBALL

Gloves, Mits, Masks, Score Books, Indicators, Shoes, Toe and Heel Plates and Rule Books.

LAWN TENNIS

Nets, Stakes, Rackets (various kinds), Balls, Markers, &c. This game will be played extensively this season. I will lay out your courts.

GOLF,

Carry large assortments of Sticks, Balls, Score Cards, Points and Caddy Bags.

LAWN SWINGS AND SETTEES.

Examine my line before going elsewhere.

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621, 623, 625 KING STREET.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va. May 8, 1906. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon June 11, 1906, for furnishing and installing Electric Light Fixtures and Wattmeters in the Post Exchange and Gymnasium Building and constructing feeder line and making service connections at Fort Washington Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office. Bidders will state in their proposals the names of the manufactures of the fixtures, meters and cable they propose to use. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Electric Light Fixtures for Post Exchange and Gymnasium Building at Fort Washington Md." and addressed to Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va.

may11,12,14,15,june8,9.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C. May 10, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Thursday, May 31, 1906, and then opened, for the construction of a brick stable at Fort Myer, Virginia. Plans and specifications may be seen and information obtained by applying to this office The United State reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Blank forms for making proposals will be furnished intending bidders upon application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for construction of a brick stable," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A. in charge of Depot.

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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., May 10, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Thursday May 31, 1906, and then opened, for Constructing, Plumbing, Gas Piping, Heating, and Electric Wiring a building for Isolation Hospital at Fort Myer, Virginia. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained by applying to this office. Blank forms for making proposals will be furnished intending bidders upon applying to this office. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for constructing plumbing &c Isolation Hospital Building," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quarter-master, A. S. Army, in charge of Depot.

may,11,12,14,15,29,30.

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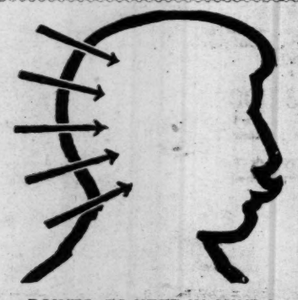

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until noon TUESDAY, May 15th, for the purchase and delivery of vitrified brick, granite curb, Portland cement, sand, gravel and tar; and for the labor of grading, concreting and laying vitrified brick and grouting same, and for hauling and setting curb on Lee street from King street to Prince street.

The committee on streets reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to extend the time for receiving same.

Specifications and particulars can be had at office of City Engineer.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS.
City Hall May 9 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS addressed to L. E. Uhler, chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 8 p. m. Tuesday, May 29, 1906, for the ENTIRE OUTPUT OF COAL GAS TAR of the city gas works during the next fiscal year, commencing June 1, 1906 and ending May 31, 1907. Bidders must agree to keep the tar in the well at all times below the outlet or overflow pipe. Terms—Settlement must be made on the 15th of the month following delivery of tar.

The successful bidder must enter into contract with the Committee on Light for faithful compliance with the above provisions. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Committee on Light.

may9td J. B. WALLER, Clerk.

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 11, 1906.

Killed by Insane Brother.

W. H. Sylvester, president of the First National Bank of Montezuma, Indiana, was shot and killed yesterday in his home by his brother, Stephen Sylvester, whose mind is believed to be affected as the result of a fall several years ago. Stephen had demanded money from his brother, and a quarrel and a fist fight followed. A neighbor named Pittman was called in by Mrs. Sylvester, and he separated the men, Stephen agreeing to return to his home. Pittman released him, and Stephen drew a revolver and fired a bullet into his brother's stomach, killing him almost instantly. Stephen ran from the house to his own home and took refuge in a shed recently built by himself, with an iron roof and wooden walls eight inches thick. While doing so he was pursued and fired upon by neighbors of the dead banker, but did not return the shots. In the shed he had placed a number of revolvers, rifles and ammunition. He intrenched himself inside, shouting through the door that he would never be taken alive. He, however, finally surrendered to the officers.

Heavy Sentence.

Confronted with one of his victims, whom he had supposed to be thousands of miles away, Nicholas Mertens, a native of Belgium, pleaded guilty yesterday to the charge of importing young girls for immoral purposes, and was sentenced by Judge Thomas, of the United States Circuit Court in New York, to four years in prison and a fine of $1,000. If the fine is not paid, he must work it out in prison at $1 a day.

In addition to having been actively engaged for sometime past in this traffic in white slaves, Mertens is also charged with abduction and with selling women outright to the keepers of disreputable houses in several cities.

Mertens went to New York last August from London on the American liner Philadelphia on his way to Los Angeles with a woman whom he claimed to be his wife. She said her name was Josephine Geizts, that she was a native of Brussels, and that she had come to this country with Mertens, who had promised to marry her as soon as they arrived. When they reached Los Angeles he sold her to a woman for $300.

The Negro Death Rate.

The March Bulletin of the Virginia Board of Health, for March, showing the general condition of the State by counties and towns, gives reports on several subjects of popular interest.

Principal among the statistics is the death rate by races of the city of Richmond, which shows the surprising rapidity with which the negroes are dying out. Of the total population of 100,000, about 62,250 are white and 37,750 negroes. The total deaths among the whites during the month of March was 71; that of the negroes, 74.

To make the rate equal there should have been forty-three deaths among the negroes, but the table shows that there were thirty-one deaths over the rate.

The reports from the counties show seventy-one cases of smallpox, Dinwiddie, Norfolk and Princess Anne counties leading with 18, 16 and 15 cases, respectively. In many of the counties reporting smallpox the general conditions were good. In the following counties the sanitary conditions were reported as unsatisfactory: Buchanan, Chesterfield, Floyd, Norfolk and the town of Greenville.

Charges Against Standard Oil.

Corruption of railroad employees and agents of independent oil companies, dishonest methods of procuring land leases, the giving of short measure, and the selling of three kinds of oil out of the same tank, were charged against the Standard Oil Company at yesterday's hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Chicago.

The principal witness of the day was E. M. Wilhoit, of Springfield, Mo., formerly for 10 years agent of the Standard Oil Company at Topeka, Kan. He made the charges of bribery and dishonesty against the company, and said that the Frisco road discriminated in favor of the Standard Oil Company. Other witnesses for the day were H. C. Doran, of Fremont, O.; E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad, and M. Maxon, a former agent of the Standard Oil Company in Illinois.

A good complexion is impossible with the stomach out of order. If pasty sallow people would pay more attention to their stomachs and less to the skin on their faces, they would have better complexion. KODOL FOR DYSPEPSIA will digest what you eat and put your stomach back right in shape to do its own work. Kodol relieves palpitation of the heart, flatulence, sour stomach, heart burn, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King St.

Stallion and Bull Fight.

A terrific fight between a stallion and a vicious bull occurred on the farm of Paul Hoffner, at Hasendon, N. J., yesterday afternoon. The fight resulted in the disemboweling of the stallion, an animal valued at $1,400, with a record of 2 20. It was owned by William Petrie, of Paterson.

The stallion, covered by a red blanket, was in the barn, when the bull, seeing the blanket, became infuriated and, leaping over a fence attacked the stallion, who met the bull with his bridle. His steel-shod hoofs cut a deep gash in the bull's left shoulder. The blow stopped the bull for a moment, but he returned to the combat and the animals fought all over the barnyard.

The farmer and several of his men ran to the scene with pitchforks, but the bull felled the stallion before they could save it. Before the three men succeeded in beating the bull off, Breen, one of the farmhands, broke his arm. The bull, which had given considerable trouble before, was shot.

A Year of Blood.

The year 1903 will long be remembered in the home of F. N. Tackets, of Alliance, Ky., as a year of blood; which flowed so copious y from Mr. Tacket's lungs that death seemed very near. He writes: "Severe bleeding from the lungs and a frightful cough had brought me at death's door, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, with the astonishing result that after taking four bottles I was completely restored and as time has proven permanently cured." Guaranteed for Sore Lungs, Coughs and Colds, at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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AUCTION SALES.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered on the 12th day of March, 1906, in the chancery cause therein depending under the style of Mary C. S. Burch vs Ella Rose Smoot and others, the undesigned, the Special Commissioners therein named, will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY,
the 19th day of May, 1906,

at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the following described several parcels of real estate, situate in the said city of Alexandria, Va., to-wit:

1. Beginning on the east side of Lee street at the northwest corner of the brick dwelling house now known and designated as No. 119 north Lee street forty-four (44) feet, more or less, south of the intersection of Lee and Cameron streets; thence south on Lee street twenty-one (21) feet nine (9) inches; thence east parallel to King street one hundred (100) feet; thence north parallel to Lee street twenty-one (21) feet nine (9) inches, and thence west parallel to King street one hundred (100') feet to the place of beginning. This lot is improved by a substantial two-story brick dwelling house.

2. Beginning on the east side of Lee street at the southwest corner of the brick dwelling known as 119 north Lee street and sixty five (65) feet nine (9) inches more or less south of the intersection of Lee and Cameron streets; thence south on Lee street one hundred and ten (110) feet eleven and one-half (11½) inches, more or less, to the line formerly C. F. Whiting's line; thence east parallel to King street to Union street; thence north on Union street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet eight and one-half (8½) inches; thence west parallel to King street two hundred (200) feet; thence south parallel to Lee street twenty-one (21) feet nine (9) inches, and thence west parallel to King street one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning. And together with the sash, door and blind factory and planing mill thereon, and engine, boiler, machinery, machines, belting, implements and tools therein and thereon, used in connection with operating the said sash, door and blind factory and planing mill, except such thereof as is the property of Henry K. Field & Co.

This lot together with lots Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6 has been used and employed as a lumber yard for many years formerly by Josiah H. D. Smoot, the then owner thereof; afterwards by Mrs. Frances P. Smoot, and now in the occupancy of Henry K. Field & Company, who are conducting a business of that character there.

3 Beginning on Union street forty-four (44) feet to the south of Cameron street on the east side of Union street; thence south on Union street eighty-eight (88) feet seven (7) inches, more or less; thence parallel with King street into the Potomac river; thence north parallel with Union street eighty-eight (88) feet seven (7) inches, more or less; thence west parallel with Cameron street to the beginning. Together with all water rights and privileges, and all other rights, privileges, appurtenances and easements to said lot of ground belonging or in anywise appertaining.

This lot has on it an office and counting room and has in connection with lots Nos. 2, 4, 5 and 6 been used for the conduct of a lumber business for many years.

4. Beginning on the west side of Union street at a point twenty-two (22) feet north of Fayette Alley and running thence north on Union street forty-three (43) feet seven (7) inches, more or less, to what was Carlyle's line; thence west parallel to Fayette Alley sixty (60) feet; thence south and parallel to Union street forty-three (43) feet seven (7) inches, more or less, and thence easterly sixty (60) feet to the beginning.

This lot in conjunction with Nos. 2, 3, 5 and 6 has been used as a part of the lumber yard hereinbefore referred to.

5. Beginning at the distance of sixty (60) feet from the intersection of Fayette Alley and Union street, running westwardly on the said alley forty eight (48) feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Union street sixty-five (65) feet, seven (7) inches, more or less, to the line formerly Carlyle F. Whiting's; thence easwardly parallel with the said alley forty-eight (48) feet; thence southwardly parallel to Union street sixty-five (65) feet seven (7) inches, more or less, from the line of said Carlyle F. Whiting to the beginning.

This lot is improved by a brick stable and warehouse and in connection with lots Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 6, has been used and employed as a lumber yard as hereinbefore stated.

6. Beginning on the north side of Fayette Alley thirty (30) feet wide at the distance of one hundred and eight (108) feet westerly of Union street, and at the west line of lot No. 4, and running westerly with said alley twelve (12) feet, more or less, to the line formerly Cazenove's; thence northerly parallel to Union street sixty-five (65) feet seven (7) inches, more or less, to the line of Whiting; thence easterly, parallel to King street, the length of the first line; thence southerly with a straight line to the beginning.

This lot together with Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 has been used as a lumber yard, as hereinbefore stated, for many years.

7, A lot of ground on the south side of Duke street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the south side of Duke street sixty (60) feet west of Pitt street, and running thence east on Duke street thirty (30) feet; thence south parallel to Pitt street ninety-five (95) feet to an alley; thence west with said alley thirty (30) feet, and thence north with a straight line ninety-five (95) feet to the beginning. Being the same property which was conveyed to George H. Smoot by Albert Stuart and George William Brent, Commissioners, by deed dated December 1, 1868, recorded amongst the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia, in Liber Z, No. 3, folio 64.

This lot is improved by a brick dwelling house containing twelve rooms and now known and designated as 502 Duke street.

8. Beginning on the north side of Prince street one hundred and three (103) feet to the eastward of Washington street and running northerly parallel to Washington street one hundred (100) feet to an alley ten (10) feet wide; thence westerly parallel to Prince street and with the line of said alley thirty-five (35) feet; thence southerly parallel to Washington street to Prince street; thence easterly with Prince street to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley and all other rights and appurtenances to the said lot of ground belonging. Being the same property which was conveyed to George H. Smoot by C. C. Berry and wife, by deed dated May 23, 1859, recorded amongst the land records of Alexandria county, Va., in Liber T, No. 3, folio 607.

This lot is improved by a large brick dwelling containing eighteen rooms, with gas, water and sewer connections and equipped with heaters and range. Situate in one of the most desirable localities in the city, it possesses many attractions as a home. For many years it was occupied by the late Josiah H. D. Smoot as his mansion and after his death it was continued in such use by his widow and family.

9. HOUSE AND LOT, now known and designated as No. 205 Wilkes street, situate on the north side of Wilkes street, between Fairfax and Lee streets. Lot thirteen (13) feet, more or less, in width by fifty (50) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by frame dwelling house.

10. HOUSE AND LOT, now known and designated as No. 207 Wilkes street, situate on the north side of Wilkes street, between Fairfax and Lee streets. Lot thirteen (13) feet, more or less, in width by fifty (50) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by frame dwelling house.

11. LOT OF GROUND with brick warehouse thereon, now known and designated as No. 109 north Union street, situate on the east side of Union street, between King and Cameron streets, twenty-two (22) feet one and three-quarter (1¾) inches in front on Union street, and extending eastwardly that width into the Potomac river, together with all appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

12. LOT OF GROUND with brick warehouse thereon, now known and designated as No. 111 north Union street, situate on the east side of Union street, between King and Cameron streets, twenty-two (22) feet one and three-quarter (1¾) inches in front on Union street, and extending eastwardly that width into the Potomac river, together with all appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

13 HOUSE AND LOT at northwest intersection of Cameron and Lee streets, now known and designated as No. 201 Cameron street. Lot thirteen (13) feet, more or less, in width by sixty-one (61) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by a frame dwelling house.

14. HOUSE AND LOT on north side of Cameron street, between Fairfax and Lee streets, now known and designated as No 201½ Cameron street. Lot twelve (12) feet nine (9) inches, more or less, in width by sixty-one (61) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by a frame dwelling house, with the right to use in common with the owner of the lot adjoining on the west, now known and designated as No. 203 Cameron street; an alley two (2) feet four (4) inches wide between said lots.

15. HOUSE AND LOT on north side of Cameron street, between Fairfax and Lee streets, now known and designated as No. 203 Cameron street. Lot twenty-two (22) feet two (2) inches, more or less, in width by sixty-one (61) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by a substantial brick dwelling house, with the right to use in common with the owner of the lot adjoining on the east, now known and designated as No. 201½ Cameron street, an alley two (2) feet four (4) inches wide between said lots.

16. HOUSE AND LOT on north side of Cameron street, between Fairfax and Lee streets, now designated and known as No. 205 Cameron street. Lot twenty (20) feet, more or less, in width by sixty-one (61) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by a frame dwelling house.

17. HOUSE AND LOT on north side of Cameron street, between Fairfax and Lee streets, now designated and known as No. 207 Cameron street. Lot twenty (20) feet, more or less, in width by sixty-one (61) feet, more or less, in depth. Improved by a frame dwelling house.

Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be first offered as a whole and then separately.

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FRANCIS L. SMITH,
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EUGENE B. TAYLOR,

IN THE CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Mary C. S. Burch, vs. Ella Rose Smoot, et als. } In Chancery.

I, Charles Bendheim, Clerk of said court, certify that the bond required of the special commissioners by the decree of said cause of March 12, 1906, has been duly executed by Frances L. Smith, one of the commissioners.

Given under my hand this seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1906.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

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LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30; 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.

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AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 8th day of January, 1906, in the Chancery cause of Pulman et ale vs. Jonling et als, depending in said Court, the undersigned, surviving Commissioners of Sale in said cause, will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building, at 12 o'clock noon on

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1906,

All those certain pieces or parcels of ground known as lots number 28, 29 and 30 in Norton and Barley's Subdivision, the said Subdivision being bounded by Alfred, Patrick and Montgomery Streets and the Manderville Line, in the City of Alexandria, and said lots being located on the east side of Patrick street, between Montgomery street and the said Manderville line.

And also all that piece of land known as the court in said Subdivision, the said court being 60 feet by 117 feet 2 inches, a plat of said Subdivision being recorded in Deed Book No 31, page 118 of the Alexandria City land records.

Terms of sale: Cash.

K. KEMPER,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Surviving Commissioners of Sale.

I, Charles Bendheim, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, one of the above mentioned surviving commissioners of sale has executed bond with approved security, in accordance with the requirements of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S GREENAWAY, D. C.

apr30 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, on the 24th day of April, 1906, in the chancery cause therein pending under the style of J. Albert Henderson vs. Annie S. Henderson et als., the undersigned, the commissioners of sale therein named, will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, the 26th day of May, 1906,

at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the following described real and personal property, situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, to-wit:

I. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, consisting of a 9-room brick dwelling situated on the west side of Patrick, between Prince and Duke streets, and known as No. 209 south Patrick street, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning on the west side of Patrick street 125 feet north of Duke street and 21 feet north of a 16 feet alley, and running thence west parallel to the line of said alley 100 feet; thence south parallel to Patrick street 21 feet; thence west on the line of said alley 23 feet 5 inches; thence north parallel to Patrick street 50 feet; thence east parallel to the line of said alley 123 feet 5 inches to Patrick street; thence on Patrick street 29 feet to the beginning.

II. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, consisting of a six room frame house situated on the west side of Patrick street, between Prince and Duke streets, and known as No. 211 south Patrick street, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning on the west side of Patrick street 104 feet north of Duke street on the north side of a 16 feet alley running from Patrick street to Henry street; thence north on Patrick street 21 feet; thence west parallel to Duke street 100 feet; thence south parallel to Patrick street 21 feet to the aforesaid alley; thence on the line of the aforesaid alley 100 feet to the beginning, with full and free use of the aforesaid 16 feet alley.

III. A LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BRICK TENEMENTS THEREON situated in what is commonly known as Friendship alley in the square bounded by King, Alfred, Prince and Patrick streets, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point 49 feet 5 inches west of Alfred street, and 100 feet south of King street, at the intersection of the south side of a sixteen foot alley with the east side of a court or alley 23 feet 10 inches wide running parallel to Alfred street, and running southerly with said court 20 feet; thence east parallel to King street 80 feet to the line of the ground sold to the corporation of Alexandria; thence north parallel to Alfred street 20 feet to the alley first named, thence with this alley to the beginning with the right of way over both said alleys.

IV. A GROUND RENT of $21. per annum issuing out of a lot on Duke street between Alfred and Patrick streets, on which lot is erected house known as No. 917 Duke street.

V. ALL OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND KITCHEN UTENSILS contained in house No. 209 S. Patrick street above mentioned and described.

Terms of sale:—Cash as to one third of the purchase price of real property and balance in two deferred payments of one and two years, each evidenced by the negotiable notes of the purchaser, bearing interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum from day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Title reserved until the entire purchase price is paid, and all conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. Personal property all cash.

C. C. CARLIN
EDMUND BURKE
K. KEMPER
HOWARD W. SMITH.
Commissioners of Sale.

I certify that the bond required in the above entitled cause has been given by Howard W Smith one of the above commissioners.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the last will and testament of the late Frances P. Smoot, I will sell at 611 Prince street, Alexandria, Va., by public auction, on

FRIDAY,
the 18th day of May, 1906,

commencing at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., the personal effects of the said Frances P. Smoot, contained in the dwelling house, 611 Prince street, Alexandria, Va., consisting of household and kitchen furniture and utensils, beds and bedding, linen and table linen, china, chairs, silverware, carpets, curtains, etc., etc.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

W. STROTHER JONES,
Executor Frances P. Smoot, deceased.

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RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective April 29, 1906.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and South western Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9:33 and 10:48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

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Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Jan. 8, 1906.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 38 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 38 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 57 (local), and 11 05 a. m 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 57 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 33 p m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOR
Ass't to Pres't. Gen'l Supt. Traf. Mgr.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect May 1, 1906.

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15, 8 20x, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

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